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Huge Loan Bill Placed Before Legislature—Mortgage to Be Renewed Unchanged for Unsettled Period—Civic Officers Are Reaffirmed and Their Actions Validated.

HON. John Hart introduced a \$5,000,000 loan bill in the Provincial Legislature yesterday afternoon, taking authority for the Government to borrow up to that sum, net, for public works, on securities repayable up to 1985, but not exceeding interest rates of 5 per cent. Construction of highways, ferries, bridges, public buildings and other public works was included within the range of the measure, which had been anticipated.

Attorney-General Sloan introduced a bill to extend the present mortgage law by British Columbia mortgage law by an undetermined period. "Thirty days after the first session of 1937," the terms of the present mortgage law will remain unchanged, but the date of its repeal can be more specifically set by proclamation, according to the amending measure.

COUNCILS VALIDATED
Mayors, reeves, aldermen and councillors throughout British Columbia who have been incorrectly sworn in after their election are reassured in their respective offices by a bill introduced by Hon. A. W. Gray. As pointed out in these columns, many municipal bodies had been sworn in by city clerks, while statute law requires the ceremony to be performed by a County Court judge or justices of the peace. The amending measure validates oaths incorrectly administered, and validates also the actions of the respective municipal bodies. Assessors and collectors are included. Amendments to the Real Estate Agents' Licensing Act, and the

PROTEST NOT ACCEPTABLE

**Jailing of German Subjects
By Russia Brings Sharp
Message**

MOSCOW, Nov. 16 (AP)—Soviet Russia declined tonight to accept a sharply-worded German protest against the jailing of twenty-three German citizens, held incommunicado on charges of espionage and of being involved in a Fascist plot against Russia.

N. N. Krestinsky, Soviet vice-commissioner for foreign affairs, advised the German charge d'affaires, Werner von Tappeske, that he was "unable" to receive the complaint. The protest, declaring the arrests were "extremely aggravating" and certain to strain relations between the two countries, demanded immediate proof of the charges against the imprisoned Germans. It also insisted on the right to communicate with the prisoners, who were seized along with a number of persons of other nationalities in connection with an alleged anti-Soviet conspiracy.

The protest declared Germany considered "no serious reason" had been given for the arrest of its nationals. Von Tappeske himself said it was "ridiculous" that the Soviets, ten days after the arrest, had been unable to provide any more information about them.

CONSPIRACY CHARGED
The German embassy said nine German citizens had been arrested in Moscow, twelve in Leningrad and two elsewhere. Fourteen were charged with espionage and conspiracy. It was said, but accusations against the other nine had not been disclosed.

The charges were based on Article 58 of the Soviet Criminal Code, dealing with revolutionary activities, espionage, sabotage and "wrecking."

**SOUNDS GIVE
New Hope for
Men's Safety**

SUPERIOR, Mont., Nov. 16 (AP)—Occasional sounds emerging from the crumbling, water-soaked mine tunnel where two gold miners were entombed by a cave-in forty-eight hours ago, caused rescue workers to redouble their efforts tonight.

They scarcely dared hope the trapped men were alive, and said they were unable to determine whether the noises were made by the men or came from more falling gravel inside the tunnel.

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Opened by Members
Of House Committee**
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Inquiry by Agricultural Committee of Legislature—Complaints Aired

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King Cancels State Drive to Parliament



Owing to cold weather and a driving rain, King Edward cancelled the usual drive to the Parliament Buildings in the gilded state coach, for the recent opening ceremonies. Instead, he sat bareheaded in a closed car beside the Duke of Beaufort, Master of Horae. His car is here seen leaving Buckingham Palace, surrounded by the crowd.

Thirty-Five Killed and 200 Hurt as Explosion Destroys Powder Plant

**Entire French Town Shaken
By Series of Violent
Blasts**

**WORKERS ARE TRAPPED
BY FLAMING TIMBERS**

SAINT CHAMAS, France, Nov. 16 (AP)—One of France's biggest powder factories blew up today, killing thirty-five persons and injuring more than 200.

Army officers directing the rescue work said there were thirty-five known dead, including a man walking along the Estres-Saint Chamus Road more than a mile from the scene, who was killed by a stone hurled through the air by the explosion.

Many of those injured were in serious condition, the officers said, some so badly mangled and scarred identification was impossible.

The entire town was shaken by the series of explosions, which could be heard for ten miles throughout the countryside.

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PATRICK DUNCAN NAMED GOVERNOR

LONDON, Nov. 16 (AP)—Patrick Duncan, a native of Scotland who has lived most of his life in South Africa, will be the next Governor-General of the Union of South Africa. He was officially announced tonight. He will succeed the Earl of Clarendon, whose extended term of office expires next March.

Duncan at present is South African Minister of Mines. A native of Banthure, Scotland, he was private secretary to Milner at the turn of the century. Subsequently he became Treasurer of the Transvaal Colonial Secretary and acting Lieutenant-Governor of that area. He is a former Minister of Interior, Public Health and Education in the Union.

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Spent Two Nights and Day Holding Plane on Gale-Swept Bar

CORDOVA, Alaska, Nov. 16 (AP)—How Star Airways Pilot John Moore and his five passengers spent two nights and a day holding down their plane in a terrific gale, which swept a gravel bar on which they made an emergency landing was detailed by the party arriving here today.

The plane was caught in a sudden storm Saturday while en route to Cordova to meet a Vancouver-bound steamer. Moore landed on a precarious bar, near Cape Yakhtaga, south of here. When the wind died down, Moore found he was unable to take off from the bar with his full load. So he transported his passengers—two at a time to Ocean Beach, seventeen miles away, and later hopped from there to Cordova.

Jury Finds Five Persons Slain by Despondent Man

Former Section Foreman Takes Own Life After
Shooting Three Men and Bludgeoning Woman
And Child at Northern Alberta Railway
Stop—Cat Leads to Discovery

TIELAND, Alta., Nov. 16 (AP)—A coroner's jury here tonight returned a verdict that Karl Schvests, forty, former Northern Alberta Railways section foreman, killed five persons by shooting or bludgeoning them, then ended his own life with a rifle bullet in his temple.

The jury was told by R.C.M.P. and other witnesses that the apparent motive for the slayings was made up of ill health, unemployment, poverty, old debts, and the obsession that his creditors, including two of his five victims, were "hounding" him.

CAT LEADS TO DISCOVERY
A cat, with blood all over its paws, led to discovery of the six deaths yesterday. The slayings were made up of ill health, unemployment, poverty, old debts, and the obsession that his creditors, including two of his five victims, were "hounding" him.

Two men, one posing as a clergyman, were under arrest here last night and charged with obtaining money by false pretences, allegedly by the use of worthless cheques.

They are Reginald Porter and William Bunt. Porter was arrested by Detective-Insp. Henry Jarvis, and Bunt was brought to the station by Detective Walter Caldwell and acting-Detective Roy Woolley.

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Germany Selling Masks to Public

BERLIN, Nov. 16 (AP)—The German Air Ministry today opened a campaign to sell gas masks to the civilian population. A decree announcing the price of the standardised masks was published in the official gazette. The total cost of all parts was set at 16.60 marks, about \$3.50.

SPANISH INSURGENTS GAIN SOME FOOTHOLD IN MADRID

**Boy With Bullet
In Brain for Week
Has Even Chance**

TRENTON, Mo., Nov. 16 (AP)—Junior Griffin, fifteen-year-old boy who has had a bullet in his brain for a week, was given a "fifty-fifty chance" to live today by his physician, Dr. H. A. Oyler. Griffin, accidentally wounded in a hunting accident November 7, was conscious and able to recognize friends and neighbors.

DEATHS END SKY DRAMA

**Plane Crash Fatal to Three
—Wife Loses Race to
Reach Husband**

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Nov. 16 (AP)—The deaths of three persons were "final" today to a skyway drama that saw an airplane crash in a snowstorm at night and a wife defeated in her race against time to reach the bedside of her dying husband. The victims were:

Miss Priscilla Murphy, sixteen-year-old Brookline, Mass., schoolgirl and amateur pilot, who burned to death when an airplane crashed on a highway last night fifteen miles southwest of Syracuse a few minutes after taking off from Amboy airport after a refueling stop.

CHARTERED PLANE
Henry Nadreau, forty-five, of Nashua, N.H., who chartered the plane in an effort to reach International Falls, Minn., to visit his father.

John H. Shobe, thirty-five, veteran Boston pilot, who guided his plane through a night snowstorm from Boston to Syracuse, but crashed after stopping to refuel and check weather reports.

Both Nadreau and Shobe died today, Shobe succumbing less than an hour before his wife arrived by regular transport plane in a futile effort to reach her husband before he died.

She was warned in advance by hospital authorities that her husband's condition was "virtually hopeless." Her plane flew through the tail end of the same snowstorm in which her husband's ship crashed. Airport attaches met her when the plane landed and informed her that her husband had died.

Miss Murphy had planned to assist Shobe at the controls when they took off from Boston. She was the daughter of Dr. William P. Murphy, of Brookline, Mass., who shared in the Nobel Prize in medicine in 1934.

TRIPLE DROWNING IN LAKE FEARED

ORILLIA, Ont., Nov. 16 (AP)—A triple drowning in Lake Simcoe was feared tonight after an overturned rowboat was found floating in the lake and clothing had been washed ashore.

Believed drowned were King Kinella, Hawkestone, John Carroll, Upgrevore, and Calvin, Carter, Orillia.

Answering a telephone call that an overturned rowboat was floating on Lake Simcoe about twenty-five feet off Cedar Point, police found the rowboat stuck in the mud. Strawn along the shore were found two caps, a hat and an overcoat.

POLICE AFFAIRS WILL BE PROBED

Hon. W. A. Macdonald to Head Investigation in Vancouver Arising From Tucker Report

VANCOUVER, Nov. 16 (AP)—Vancouver City Council today ordered an inquiry into police department affairs and appointed Hon. W. A. Macdonald, retired judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, as commissioner to investigate charges made in the report of W. A. Tucker, discharged police department accountant.

Tucker was appointed police accountant on February 8, on recommendation of Mayor G. G. McGeer, to make a survey of police accounting methods. He was discharged by Vancouver Police Commission last Friday; when his report was found to contain charges and allegations concerning Vancouver police heads and other persons.

On October 29, the men left Corbin in search of game. Neighbors

**Militiamen Fight Hard to Push Back Attackers
From Northwestern Corner of Capital — Air
Raids and Artillery Bombardment Again
Take Heavy Toll**

Small Contingents Cut Off By "Mousetrapping" Method

MADRID, Nov. 17 (AP)—Madrid was aglare early today with bright flames and red smoke after an insurgent artillery and air bombardment had killed at least sixty persons and set fire to about fifty houses. Incessant rifle and machine gun fire was heard from University City, in the north-western corner of Madrid, as defending militiamen tried to fight back insurgents attempting to push into that section from the Cuatro Caminos district.

The insurgents, in a surprise attack, occupied the former British-American Hospital in that district, and Government forces opened an intensive attack in an effort to dislodge them.

HOUSES BLAZING
Many houses in Madrid caught fire from artillery shells, while incendiary bombs set others ablaze. More than 150 persons were wounded or injured in the attack, and the three air raids of yesterday which occurred at 2:30 p.m., 7 p.m. and 8 p.m.

During the third air attack—after nightfall—the insurgent planes loosed bombs on the Alcala station near the Parliament Building. The insurgent attempt to push into University City last night came after the Government had declared a small body of insurgents, after police.

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CHALLENGES ASSERTION OF B.C. MINISTER

DR. J. J. GILLIS
VETERAN physician of Yale, stated in the Legislature yesterday that he doubted if one in a hundred persons in the province was in any way affected by social diseases. He made the statement in commenting on the assertion of the Provincial Secretary that 150,000 persons were suffering from the effects of such diseases.

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The minister gave the pleas sympathetic hearing and promised to present the applications for consideration on his return to Ottawa. With the delegates he discussed extension of Jordan River Road, and extension of the Trans-continental highway to Tofino. Mr. Husband

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Three Hunters Lost For Over Two Weeks Discovered From Air

Sighted in Remote Ravine Near International
Boundary—One Badly Injured—Expected
To Take at Least Weeks for Rescue

CORBIN, B.C., Nov. 16 (AP)—Lost for eighteen days in the rugged Canadian and American Rockies, three Corbin hunters, one of them injured, were sighted by a Montana pilot and his observer today, south of here near the international boundary.

The trio—George Urban, hunter, John Stevens, twenty-seven, and Billy Grave, thirty-six—were discovered in a narrow ravine so remote that rescue parties will be unable to reach them overland for at least three days. The terrain is too rough to allow an airplane to land.

On October 29, the men left Corbin in search of game. Neighbors expressed fears for their safety when they failed to return, and search parties were organized. The men had not been seen until sighted from the air today although traces of a camp-site had been found.

Early today Pilot George Smith, and Ernest Jackson, his observer, took up the search. They were about to return to their Montana base when they sighted the hunters.

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PROTECTED BY SPECIAL TARIFF

**Prohibitive Duties to Be Imposed on Foreign Goods
For Coronation**

LONDON, Nov. 16 (AP)—British manufacturers of coronation goods will be protected from foreign competition by the imposition of 100 per cent ad valorem duties between December 15 next and July 31, 1937.

The import duties advisory committee, in issuing the order, stated the tariff would apply to articles of all kinds suitable for use in connection with the coronation of King George VI. These include articles representing the King, any member of the Royal Family, any royal emblem, any article associated with the coronation or the flag of any country in the British Empire and flags resembling any such flag.

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TWO MEN GIVEN TWO-YEAR TERM

Four Others Convicted of Tumultuous Rioting at Vancouver Relief Depot

VANCOUVER, Nov. 17 (AP)—Two of nine unemployed single men charged with tumultuous rioting in connection with a disturbance at the city relief depot at Hamilton Hall a month ago were convicted in Assize Court last night and early today sentenced to two years at hard labor.

Fred Orange, who conducted his own defence, and Richard Holland were sentenced to two years. Douglas Rocky, Cliff Smith, Stanley Nosar and Harry O'Neill were convicted but released on their own recognizance and ordered to report monthly to Inspector Forbes Cruickshanks of the British Columbia police.

Three others were acquitted. They were Jack Patterson, David Simpson and Patrick Sheridan.

**NINETY-SEVEN NAZIS
ARRESTED IN CHILE**
SANTIAGO, Chile, Nov. 16 (AP)—Ninety-seven Nazis, including three women standard-bearers, were arrested today, following Nazi-Leftist fighting at Rancagua in which more than 600 persons were injured.

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Lawyers Argue Over Validity of Bequest To Toronto Mothers

Mr. Justice Middleton Expects to Hand Down Decision Within Week—Appeals Are Expected No Matter What Judgment Delivered

TORONTO, Nov. 16 (P.)—Validity of the "stork derby" clause of Charles Vance Millar's will, bombarded today in open court by attorneys representing relatives who received no part of the eccentric lawyer's \$500,000 estate, will be determined, at least temporarily, next week by Mr. Justice W. E. Middleton.

In a courtroom crowded with lawyers, the Ontario Supreme Court justice said he would hand down a decision in a week, "if at all possible," not only on the validity question, but whether the clause could be construed to include births of illegitimate children. One mother-claimant to the fortune, Mrs. Pauline Clarke, registered five births after separating from her husband.

WILL BE APPEALED
Mr. Justice Middleton's judgment, first of several he must make before the estate can be disposed of, will be appealed in any event, it was indicated clearly. Counsel for executors of the estate, W. N. Tilley, K.C., said an early decision on the first two points would accelerate appeals. During the day-long hearing, occupied entirely by legal argument, with not a single witness or bit of written evidence being heard, a few of the seventeen claimants sat in the crowded little courtroom. Mrs. Lily Kenny, confident of being adjudged the sole winner, was one.

By agreement, one lawyer was chosen by each group of interested parties to present argument. There was some discussion, but no decision, as to how costs would be divided.

Next step in the legal struggle will be argument before Mr. Justice Middleton on the eligibility of still-born children. Several mothers listed babies dead at birth in claims for the prize Millar set up for the Toronto mother registering most births in the ten-year period following his death. The deadline was October 31.

For the first time, the question of "public policy" arose in connection with the stork derby's legal career. I. F. Hellmuth, K.C., counsel for Alexander Butcher and Arabella West, Millar relatives attempting to upset the will, said it should be considered.

A BRIBE FOR A BARONET
Mr. Hellmuth referred to an "Edgerton" decision, in which a bribe was offered for the birth of a baronet and a will thereby upset. Mr. Justice Middleton thought a baronet "a little thing in comparison with this case."

If Millar had dangled a cash prize before mothers of illegitimate children, yet unborn, the judge said the will clause would be against public policy. But in his opinion it couldn't be attacked on that ground.

"I cannot permit a wide-open general inquiry," he said. "It would be scandalous."

POTATO INQUIRY IS OPENED BY MEMBERS

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W. T. Straith, appearing as counsel for the British Columbia Coast Vegetable Marketing Board, said the books of the board were not at hand, but would be produced later. A. McPhee appeared as counsel for the G. H. Snow Agency, and G. P. Hogg, as counsel for a group of Chinese witnesses subpoenaed to attend. Norman W. Whittaker acted as local adviser to the committee, being added as a member.

AIMS OF INQUIRY
"Charges have been freely made against the present system of marketing vegetables, and it is the purpose of the committee to go into those charges, to give the British Columbia Coast Vegetable Marketing Board an opportunity to reply," Chairman Barrow explained in opening the inquiry.

R. A. Coleman, a Delta potato grower, was the first witness sworn. He said he had no real complaints to make against the board in person, but that he had no use whatever for the Marketing Act. Under the act, he continued, he was rejected as evidence, but witness was questioned on it.

Mr. Murray: I think it should be perfectly safe for the witness to write to any member of this committee. This is not Soviet Russia, surely.

Mr. Coleman stated he might have written to Mr. Planta, but if so, he had intended no reflection in reference to party "heavens," and should not, in fact, have used the term. Questioned by Mr. Whittaker, witness said the marketing scheme had increased prices to the consumer, but had not increased prices to the grower, he was aware.

Questioned by Mr. Planta again, witness declared he had once run for a position on the vegetable board. Mr. Straith wanted to know if witness had bought eighty tons of potatoes from one Lee Chan. Witness said he had not, though he had accepted potatoes elsewhere in settlement of a debt.

GOT LOW PRICE
William Montgomery, of Ladner, was sworn as the second witness. After much cross-examination around the board, it developed he had marketed 100 tons of potatoes through the British Columbia Coast Vegetable Marketing Board, and had received \$1,170 for a crop he believed he could have sold himself for \$3,000. Through the board, he declared, he had received over a period an average of 58.5 cents a sack. He complained that some persons had been given permits to sell outside the board pools, and that this privilege had not been generally known.

Witness was questioned by Leslie Gilmore, a member of the vegetable board, as to the price of Epicure, or an early variety of potatoes, of which Mr. Gilmore asserted there had been a glut.

Mr. Hogg, counsel for Mainland Chinese growers, protested the multiple cross-examination of witnesses as unfair. The committee argued the point, and then proceeded.

RETURNS CITED
Mr. Montgomery was assured that he had been unfortunate in entering a late pool, which had yielded the poorest price of the year.

Chairman Barrow gave the returns from the various potato pools this year. Successively they had been, he said, \$125.20 per ton; \$80.40 in three pools in a row; \$45.40; \$42; \$40; \$38; \$35; and \$12.80 per ton, the last named being the pool in which Mr. Montgomery's potatoes had been sold. In the pool of September 7 last, the return had gone back to \$28, Mr. Barrow said.

The committee proceeded to other witnesses before adjourning to make way for an afternoon sitting of the House itself.

The agricultural marketing probe broke out in debate in the Legislature in the afternoon sitting, when H. E. Winch (C.C.P., Vancouver East) and E. D. Barrow (Lib., Chilliwack) clashed sharply over Mr. Barrow's reference to the members for Vancouver East, in the House last week.

Mr. Winch asserted he held no partnership interest in a fish and chip store in Vancouver, and Mr. Barrow denied that he had ever sold otherwise. Mr. Winch said potatoes bought at the premises mentioned had been regularly purchased from a white vendor, named John, an Irishman; and not from Wong, an Chinese, as he said it had been alleged by the chairman of the committee. Mr. Barrow said he had been misunderstood.

R. B. Swales (Social-Constructive—Delta), appealed to the House to appoint a different chairman for the marketing probe, on the ground that the present chairman held decided views in favor of market control. The Government ignored the request, and proceeded with the orders of the day.

The committee met privately after the House rose, to arrange the agenda for today.

NORMAL SCHOOL MAY BE CLOSED

City Council to Protest Suggested Action of Provincial Government
To protest the suggested closing of Provincial Normal Schools at Victoria and Vancouver, the city council and school board will be named in the near future by the acting mayor, aldermen decided last evening.

In suggesting a delegation to wait upon the Provincial Government, Alderman Walter Luny told of reading that it was planned to close both Normal Schools. The action, he said, was particularly because all services possible were being moved to Vancouver from Victoria. He told how those who intended to study at the Normal School here would have to attend the University of British Columbia, and in many cases it would be financially impossible.

Alderman Dewar declared it was of the utmost importance that the Normal School be kept open. Alderman Wain said it would be a great mistake to close the school, even though there were few openings for teachers. He told how an increased grant had been made to the University of British Columbia. It was then decided to leave appointment of a delegation to the acting mayor.

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pointed out that, at the present time, there was no place in Canada from where motorists could see the Pacific Ocean.

ASKS ENTHUSIASM
One very important link in the trans-Canada highway, delegates pointed out, would be a road from Sprout Lake to Tofo. They asked the minister to bear these matters in mind.

Mr. Rogers in turn said he wished for enthusiastic support to the working out of the home improvement scheme. He stated he thought this plan would alleviate unemployment here, considerably.

Having learned much on this trip, the minister explained he was relieved in cross-Canada journey. Mr. Rogers accompanied by Mrs. Rogers, A. G. MacLachlan, secretary and Humphrey Mitchell, director of labor transference, Ottawa, arrived in Victoria Sunday. Yesterday morning the minister discussed with Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Mines and Labor, proposals affecting single unemployed transients, and talked relief projects with Hon. Frank M. MacPherson, Minister of Public Works. He addressed a joint meeting of the Laurier and Gyro Clubs at luncheon and received several Victoria Liberal leaders.

Mr. Rogers and party left on the midnight boat for Vancouver.

ENTERS RACE FOR COUNCIL

W. Lloyd Morgan Seeks Seat As Alderman—In Business Here Eighteen Years



W. LLOYD MORGAN

W. Lloyd Morgan, prominent Victoria businessman, last night announced that he would be a candidate for alderman at the civic election in Victoria on Thursday, December 10.

Mr. Morgan, who resides at 729 Pemberton Road and is president of W. L. Morgan Fuel Company, Ltd., has lived in Victoria for eighteen years. He is the first candidate to enter the field for any civic office this year.

The following statement was issued by Mr. Morgan:

"I have been doing business not unsuccessfully in Victoria for the past eighteen years. During that time I have had a firm belief in Victoria and its future, and still do, in spite of the fact that I am now faced with an ever-increasing city tax burden which has passed the \$6,000 mark. This places me in the position of the proverbial camel—nearing the last straw."

"Soon, if matters do not improve, my property and yours will be added to the increasing list of the non-paying, which has already overburdened the taxpayer."

"The Henley scheme and the way it has been handled emphasized this point and brought about my determination to offer myself as a candidate for alderman in the present election in the hope that such business sense as I have used successfully in my own firm might not come amiss if I were chosen by the electors to lend my assistance to the local council."

Noted Canadian Author Is Dead

WASSAIC, N.Y., Nov. 16 (P.)—A Canadian who achieved distinction in several fields will be buried here tomorrow.

Miss Agnes Christina Laut, newspaperwoman, biographer, historian and social worker, died here Sunday after several weeks' illness. She was born sixty-five years ago in Kingston, Ont., where her grandfather was principal of Queen's University.

GOV'T MAY BORROW FOR PUBLIC WORKS

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Dewdney Diking Relief Act were placed before the House during the day. A sheet of routine bills were another stage along their journey to enactment.

GARIBOLDI TIMBER
A bill which would confer blanket authority on the Government to dispose of timber in Garibaldi Park ran into sustained objection, and was adjourned in debate by Deputy Speaker Hanna at the afternoon sitting, after R. H. Pooley (Cons., Esquimalt), R. W. Bruhn (Ind., Salmon Arm), and others had asked for some assurance of the Government's intentions with respect to the measure.

Amendments to the Forest Act.

Japan Decides on New Air Ministry

TOKIO, Nov. 16 (P.)—Creation of a new Air Ministry for both civil and military aviation with an annual budget of 3,000,000 yen (about \$755,000) virtually has been decided, well-informed sources said today.

ADMIT SELLING MUNITIONS

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 16 (P.)—Two army officers and three civilians, trapped by a woman agent of the secret police, admitted in court today they sold ammunition to rebels in the State of Jalisco.

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INVESTIGATOR FOUND PRICES HIGHER HERE

Dr. W. A. Carrothers Tells Farmers of His Inquiry Into Machinery Costs

CO-OPERATION HELD CURE FOR TROUBLE

By request of the advisory board of the British Columbia Farmers' Institutes, now sitting here, Dr. W. A. Carrothers appeared before the body yesterday, and gave a brief summary of the investigations that had been made by him into the subject of the cost of farm implements.

The speaker said that, after a rather exhaustive delving into the whole matter, the information had been gleaned that the prices of farm implements in British Columbia, as compared with similarly placed centres in the adjoining states of the American Union, showed prices to be about 10 or 15 per cent on the average higher than those.

HIGH FREIGHT RATES
It had been found, Dr. Carrothers stated, that in the Kootenays the freight rates from Vancouver were exceedingly high, higher than in other parts of the province. It was learned that, in the Okanagan the fruitgrowers used imported machinery from the United States because they preferred it to the Canadian-made machinery.

In the United States it appeared that the dealers bought usually outright from the manufacturers. At the same time, it was found that the situation worked out as the same as a commission basis, for manufacturers, in order to retain the services of a good agent, would offer special advantages.

QUOTES FIGURES
Comparing prices, it was found that a tractor-driven binder, which would cost in Vancouver \$363, would bring \$311 in Seattle. Other prices were quoted, showing a similar condition with regard to other machinery.

The calling in of Dr. Carrothers followed the discussion of the advisory board of some of the complaints that were the subject of complaint among farmers. H. Bosse, Surrey, and O. B. Appleton, Nelson, pointed out to the board that the real solution of the situation was to be met by co-operation among the farmers. By united action, Mr. Bosse told of the netting of great savings. The co-operative body took the agency and returned the commission to the farmers.

R. G. Bliss, Forest Grove, Cariboo, said that John, a former member of the Legislature, had suggested that if the manufacturers would not deal more fairly than they were doing, there would have to be control of the manufacture secured by the opening up of the markets of Japan or Russia.

Mr. Bliss was of the opinion that the cost at the factory would be about 50 per cent lower.

Others said there was no trouble in getting the agencies for the farmers from the manufacturers. The deputy minister of agriculture, J. B. Munro, who was in the room at the time of the discussion, thought that material savings might be made by better housing of machinery, thus wiping out deterioration.

On motion of E. W. Neil, Duncan, it was resolved to make representations to the Government along the line of encouraging co-operative handling by the farmers of their machinery supplies.

BUILDER OF FIRST CANADIAN CAR DEAD

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States Unemployment Problem Attacked by Ottawa on Two Sides

Immediate Aid and Long-Range Policies Adopted By Federal Government, Declares Hon. Norman Rogers, Minister of Labor

THE Dominion Government was attacking the problem of unemployment and relief both from a standpoint of immediate aid and a long-range policy, and with the co-operation of Provincial and Municipal Governments, was hopeful for a successful solution, Hon. Norman M. Rogers, Minister of Labor, told a joint meeting of the Laurier and Gyro Clubs yesterday at luncheon in the Empress Hotel.

This first visit of the Federal Minister since his appointment attracted a large crowd to the luncheon. Representatives in the Legislative Assembly, Provincial Government Cabinet members, and members of other service clubs in Victoria were present. The speaker was introduced by A. D. Macfarlane, K.C., president of the Laurier Club, while thanks were voiced by E. V. Finland, of the Gyro Club. President Angus W. McIntyre, of the Gyro Club, presided.

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Mrs. Kathleen R. Strange, of Winnipeg, winner of the \$1,000 McLeod-Dodge prize for the best book manuscript by a Canadian. The winning book is "A Modern Pioneer." Mrs. Strange has formerly written for the magazines, and her husband several times won wheat championships. This picture was taken at the Canadian Authors' Convention in Vancouver last summer. On the left is President Pelham Edgar, and on the right, Willie Dalton, husband of the Vancouver poet, Annie Charlotte Dalton.

RAPS VICTORIA WATER POLICY

Councillor F. G. Eaton Criticizes City Body for Shutting Off Water Supply

Bitter criticism of the Victoria Water Board for shutting off domestic water supply of an Esquimalt relief man with three small children was voiced by Councillor F. G. Eaton last night at a meeting of the Esquimalt Council. His attempt to have the matter placed before the Provincial Board of Health failed to secure support of the council.

"This is a menace to health. The man is a provincial relief case and the municipality will lose nothing by placing the matter before the Provincial Board of Health. The authorities there will recognize the seriousness of the matter, I think," he declared.

MATTER OF POLICY

Councillor Albert Heald stated it was a question of policy. "If we feel we are responsible for the water debts of the relief people, we must come out and say so," he said. "I am not saying we should pay the bill, but I think we should bring it before the attention of the authorities," declared Councillor Eaton. "They will send it back and tell us it is our district and we must deal with it," said Reeve Alex Lockley.

"It is our responsibility to check a cut-throat organization when it is endangering health," remarked Councillor Eaton.

Reeve Lockley took exception to the term applied and cited examples to show the water board had acted in a lump sum in several instances which he quoted.

"I was sitting in Mayor Leimie's office when he told me the city was in the water business and that the city was not a philanthropic organization and those who could not pay, must have their water shut off," responded Councillor Eaton.

After further discussion, it was agreed to place the matter before the inter-municipal committee when it meets again.

"I think we should ask the Friendly Help to look into the situation and see if the children are suffering any ill-effects," said Councillor Heald.

DEBATE ENDS

"They are not. The man is doing what I would do if I was in the same condition. He has connected to the main with a hose," said Councillor Eaton. The debate promptly ended.

Councillor P. S. Going was appointed Esquimalt representative on the inter-municipal committee. Councillors Thomas, Hadfield and Going will sit with Reeve Alex Lockley as the court of revision on the municipal voters' list on December 10 at 7:30 p.m.

A petition from twenty-six unemployed seeking extra relief for December was referred to the finance committee to find ways and means of granting the request.

SCHUMANN-HEINK IS CRITICALLY ILL

HOLLYWOOD, Calif. Nov. 16. —Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink, seventy-five-year-old veteran of the operatic and concert stage, was critically ill tonight at her home in Hollywood. She was suffering from a blood ailment which occurred Saturday. It was learned in the form of hemorrhages of the throat and lungs.

Her physician, Dr. Samuel Altier, reported her condition was serious although he said she responded to blood transfusions and rallied somewhat from the attack.

The famous singer suffered a similar attack several months ago.

IN TRAVELERS' PRESIDENT

MONTREAL, Nov. 16. —L. C. Robitaille was elected president of the Dominion Commercial Travelers' Association Saturday. Membership increased for the first time in several years.

MINISTER WILL GO TO OTTAWA FOR GATHERING

Hon. Dr. K. C. MacDonald Addresses Farmers' Institutes Convention

E. W. NEEL EXPLAINS STATE HEALTH PLAN

The advisory board of the Farmers' Institutes of British Columbia, with the president, A. B. Smith, Cranbrook, presiding yesterday discussed of considerable business on the agenda for the two sittings of the body in the Parliament Buildings. Several matters were given over to individual members of the board to take up with the Minister of Agriculture or others concerned. Others were presented as resolutions coming from the united body. During the day, Hon. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, was a visitor at the meeting. As he entered the room, the board was discussing the matter of whether it should adjourn in order to attend the investigation regarding the B. C. Coast Vegetable Marketing Board. The minister said that they were at liberty to do so, but he thought that it would not be of any great advantage for them to listen in.

TOOK NO RESPONSIBILITY

There was not coming before the sitting of the investigation committee anything relative to the general subject of co-operation. There had been charges leveled against one marketing board. He had been perfectly ready to have any investigation they liked and he was accordingly to go on. Every time that it was sought to have changes made it was not wise to have an investigation. He was not taking any responsibility for the investigation.

The board, thereupon, decided that it would proceed with its regular business.

GOING TO OTTAWA

The minister told the members that on December 14 he would go to Ottawa to attend a meeting at which the hope was expressed that there would be some of the activities in agriculture might be cut out without reducing the advantages to be derived. He felt that the gathering might help to clear the situation to some extent.

There was an endeavor being made to prevent some producers going out and crucifying the general body of producers. Smith referred to the way in which the motor vehicle tax pressed upon some farmers who only used their cars for the purpose of doing something of a specific character. In some instances they only traveled a few hundred miles or less in the year. As compared with those who were constantly on the roads, the wear and tear on the highways was practically nothing. These people did not object paying the regular cost of gasoline and might not object to a higher tax on that commodity, but he said they did object to paying the licence charge that they had to pay, the same as the larger user of the roads.

GAME MATTERS

At the afternoon sitting, F. G. Butler, of the Game Commission of the Province, gave information relative to matters affecting the game. He was thanked by the members of the board who referred to the amicable and conciliatory way in which the official had met them. Mr. Butler explained the pleasant situation in the Province. This board was now buying birds mainly from farmers who undertook to raise them at a saving to the Province. They were, moreover, paying from \$1.30 to \$1.50 per bird for these or a higher price than they could purchase them for in the United States in order to encourage the hatching of birds here.

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MERCHANTS TO MEET CABINET
Victoria and Vancouver Representatives to Confer With Ministers Tomorrow
Representatives of the Victoria and Vancouver Retail Merchants' Associations will meet the Premier and members of the Provincial Cabinet tomorrow morning to discuss matters relating to merchandising and proposed legislation. A special meeting of the Victoria executive of the association was held yesterday when details, connected with the Cabinet conference, were completed, and representatives of Victoria and Vancouver groups were selected.
Goldwyn Terry and Frank Partridge were appointed to a committee to arrange a dinner meeting for Provincial ministers and members of the Legislature to be held tomorrow evening, commencing at 6 o'clock.

MASS MEETING
At 8 o'clock this evening, at the Douglas Hotel, a mass meeting of Victoria retailers will be held when George R. Matthews, secretary of the provincial body, will be the principal speaker. It is proposed to submit a resolution dealing with specific methods of merchandising to which the association is opposed. It is the intention to submit the resolution to the Provincial Government asking legislation this season to curb unfair practices in trade.
At a meeting of Victoria drug-

Girl Pilot Loses Life When Mercy Monoplane Falls
SYRACUSE, N.Y., Nov. 16. —A big monoplane speedster Henry Nadeau, forty-five, from Nashua, N.H., to the bedside of his dying father in International Falls, Minn., crashed south of here last night killing Miss Priscilla Murphy, amateur pilot and Boston schoolgirl. Nadeau and John H. Shobe, pilot of the plane, were critically injured.

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SIGNING OF TREATY BRINGS FATAL FIGHT

BEIRUT, Syria, Nov. 16 (CP-Havas).—Three persons were killed and twenty-eight injured in street fighting, it was announced today after an all-night riot provoked by opponents of the new treaty between France and Lebanon signed here last night. Many streets were overturned and automobiles destroyed.

Mary Pickford to Marry in Spring

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 16 (AP).—The persistently rumored and frequently denied romance between Mary Pickford and Charles "Buddy" Rogers crystallized tonight in the informal announcement of plans for a wedding in the Spring. Available records give forty-three years as the age of Miss Pickford, Toronto-born, "America's Sweetheart" of the silent screen. Rogers,

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IMPORTANCE OF STATION SHOWN

W. A. Thorn, Director of Gonzales Bureau, Addresses Astronomical Society

In the making of weather charts, the meteorological station at Victoria will rise to still greater importance in the future, when air traffic increases and such maps will be in great demand. This point was brought out at the meeting of the Victoria centre of the Astronomical Society of Canada held last night at the Y.W.C.A., when Napier Denison, former director of the Meteorological Bureau at Gonzales Hill, moved the vote of thanks to the speaker, W. A. Thorn, present director. "Charting Atmospheric Currents" was Mr. Thorn's subject. Using about fifty photographic slides, the majority of which were charts of air currents, Mr. Thorn showed the connection between meteorology and astronomy. He spoke of the problem of measuring the sun's radiation and the moon's effect on the moon's effect on the weather, in which connection the speaker said that only a very slight tidal effect was due to the moon, but too insignificant to be responsible for the farmer's troubles.

ATMOSPHERIC CURRENTS

Atmospheric currents were likened to a great thermal engine. The general circulation of the air in the upper levels was pictured, Mr. Thorn telling how information concerning this had been gained through the release of small balloons. He also discussed monsoons, the origin of fogs, and the shielding effect of the Rocky Mountains on the weather of the Pacific coast, which, because of the mountain barrier was protected from the cold flow of air from the Yukon and Northern Alberta.

Among the photographic slides shown was one of Sable Island weather station, Nova Scotia, which is in the path of the West India hurricanes.

Announcements

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INSURGENTS GAIN SOME FOOTHOLD

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trating that district within the confines of Madrid proper, had been driven out after twelve hours' fighting. The defence Junta declared five insurgent planes had been brought down during the air attacks. Twenty-three Government machines flew over Madrid yesterday, and fifteen raiders. One bomb fell on a house close to the French Embassy. The air ministry reported Government planes bombed the railroad station at Facinas, held by Salamanca, burning war materials stored there, and an arsenal at Cadix. When the insurgent planes bombed the Atocha station, homecoming crowds, scattered in an important business street, for safety into subway entrances as the anti-aircraft guns were fired at the planes. The defenders' tracer bullets slashed the dark sky.

A DIRECT HIT

It was the first night raid in several weeks. One insurgent plane crashed in flames when a Government gunner scored a direct hit earlier today. Before the insurgents lost their foothold in Madrid, they had captured and expensive new buildings of the university were wrecked in artillery and machine gun exchange, the Government said.

A small group of the enemy filtered across the shallow Manzanares River and seized one building on the campus, the official statement declared, but heavy fire by the Madrid militiamen kept back reinforcements who sought to join them.

The struggle for possession of the university region lasted from midnight Sunday until noon today, the Government said, and the insurgents finally retreated across the Manzanares. While the insurgents concentrated their attack in that sector, their artillery continued to bombard other parts of the capital from the South and West.

REDUCED TO DEBRIS

Slightly south of University City, the Basque section was almost completely evacuated by civilians after heavy shelling reduced the apartment buildings on a broad avenue to piles of debris.

The defence Junta, admitting the situation was growing "increasingly difficult in the capital," said there were "sufficient resources to defeat attempts to capture it."

All Madrid's newspapers except those operated by the Government still suspend publication because of a newspaper shortage, the defence Junta said but some will move to Valencia.

CONTINGENTS TRAPPED

"Mouse-trapping"—a new Government strategy which permits small insurgent contingents to filter through the defences, only to find themselves cut off from their main lines and facing annihilation—gave rise to the day's heaviest fighting. General Jose Miaja called foreign correspondents before him tonight to show them the body of Aviator Jose Antonio Galarza as evidence of atrocities he said are being committed by the insurgents.

The general declared the twenty-

seven-year-old pilot's mutilated remains were dropped into Government territory in a small box attached to a parachute. Galarza was tortured and slain when he made a forced landing behind the enemy lines, Miaja charged.

He declared that despite "such conduct," every insurgent aviator who falls behind the Government lines, either by parachute or in his plane, will be respected.

MASSING TANKS

WITH INSURGENTS OUTSIDE MADRID, Nov. 16 (AP).—Attacking Fascist insurgents tonight massed tanks and infantry troops to make Madrid's streets and plazas the next battlefields of the Spanish civil war.

The hard-driving advance units of General Francisco Franco's Moorish Legionnaires were announced officially to have swept into small sections of the University City district in the northwest part of the capital.

Behind them the insurgent high command packed serried ranks of regular and militia tanks, ready to surge forward as soon as the front line leaders flashed word the way into the city proper had been blasted open.

DAY-LONG FIRE

Explosive shells weighing 20 pounds shrieked into the University City area, under heavy fire all day long from the Fascist field batteries.

The deep roar of the guns and explosions could be heard twenty-five miles from Madrid.

Exactly how far the Fascist drive had penetrated into Madrid could not be learned as correspondents still were prevented from moving into advance units of the troops.

All indications from the correspondents could see, however, were that the Fascists were within University City.

General Jose Miaja, chief of the Madrid defence council, did not deny the enemy was within Madrid's city limits.

CAPTURED BUILDING

An official statement from Fascist headquarters said their troops had captured a building in University City, north of the Paseo de Rosales, which additional unconfirmed reports said the insurgents had also reached.

The North Station area, on the other side of the Manzanares from University City, apparently was the next objective of the attackers. Heavy shelling shook this district throughout the day.

TANKS IN VAN

Speedy tanks which have been brought into play time and again during the siege of Madrid led the advance across the Manzanares River, which serves as Madrid's protective "moat."

Behind them the troops, packing machine guns and rifles, forded the shallow stream and swarmed across the plains within the shadow of Madrid's outlying buildings.

FOOD SHIP SEIZED

LONDON, Nov. 16 (AP).—Lloyd's announced tonight the Norwegian ship "Lindholm" carrying food to the Spanish Government-held city of Valencia was seized by insurgent warships and escorted to Vigo.

The announcement said the vessel was seized by the insurgent commercial attaché of the Spanish London Embassy to carry 1,000 tons of potatoes from Dundee to Spain. The cargo would be unloaded in the insurgent port of Vigo.

SHIELD CRICKET

MELBOURNE, Australia, Nov. 16 (AP).—Carrying on from 29 for five wickets, South Australia rang up a first-innings score of 386 today against Victoria, 401 in the third day of their Sheffield Shield competition match. When stumps were drawn Victoria had lost one wicket for 79 runs.

Don Bradman, who will captain Australia against England in the tests this year, showed his true form Saturday when he hammered out 192 runs despite a strained left leg.

FOOTBALL STANDINGS

EASTERN SENIOR LEAGUE	
University of Toronto	4 2 7 23 8
University of Western Ontario	3 2 4 10 8
Ontario Rugby Football Union	2 2 7 12 7
W.L.F.A.P.	3 1 10 27 4
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City and District

Old Fire Engine—On recommendation of the fire wardens, the City Council decided tonight to sell an old fire engine and scrap metal to the highest bidder.

Finance Committee—The finance committee of the British Columbia Canadian Legion will meet this evening at 7:40 o'clock in the headquarters.

Oxford Group—The Poul Bay Group of the Oxford Group Movement will meet tonight at the home of H. D. Patterson, 1004 Carberry Gardens, at 8:15. All men interested in the movement are welcome.

Committee Meeting—The final meeting of the Victoria Day (1936) celebration committee will be held in the City Hall at 10 o'clock this morning, according to Alderman T. W. Hawkins, chairman.

Tennis Court—A letter from the school board requesting an interview with the City Council in regard to surfacing Oaklands tennis court at a cost of \$500 was not dealt with by the City Council last evening.

Equatorial Ropeways—The Equatorial Ropeways Association will hold a meeting tomorrow in St. Paul's Parish rooms at 8 o'clock. Several important matters are to be discussed and all members are requested to attend.

Tax Sale—Two improved parcels of property reached a sale of \$4,418 at the annual city tax sale in the council chamber of the City Hall yesterday morning. Sales to date total \$17,470.89. The sale will be resumed at 10 o'clock this morning.

To Elect Officers—All members of Capital City Lodge No. 61, Knights of Pythias, Victoria, are requested to be present at Castle Hall this evening at 8 o'clock for the nomination and election of officers for the coming term.

Music Teachers Meet—The Victoria Music Teachers' Association will meet tomorrow at 10 a.m. at the Y.W.C.A. The first part of the meeting will be devoted to business, after which Mrs. J. H. Gillespie will address the members.

Committee Meets—Public accounts committee met briefly yesterday, after the afternoon sitting of the House. It appointed G. S. W. W. P. P. to the chair, and arranged to meet later for a review of the public accounts now presented.

Rose Tournament—A suggestion of Mrs. F. Grae Deaville, 2893 Douglas Street, that the city be represented with a float in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses on January 1 was referred to the finance committee by the City Council last evening.

Wants Data—In a letter received at the City Hall yesterday, Mrs. Norman Wilson, on behalf of Ottawa Women's Forum, sought data on the city's municipal government. She explained her group was studying types of civic government throughout Canada.

Foreshore Lease—The city solicitor was instructed by the City Council last evening to apply to the Department of Marine for a twenty-one year renewal of the foreshore lease for the asphalt plant on Garbally Road. The lease will expire on February 15, 1937.

Non-Contentious Sections—In the private bill committee of the Legislature yesterday, the non-contentious sections of the Vancouver Bill were disposed of preparatory to the hearing of the bill on the Mainland city today, to discuss the main parts of the bill.

Buildings Illuminated—The Legislative Buildings were illuminated last evening, coinciding with the arrival of Hon. Norman Rogers, Federal Minister of Labor, who is in conference with members of the Government during the day.

Safety Conference—A letter from Dominion Safety Council, Inc. calling attention to a national safety conference at Ottawa on November 24 was referred to the Police Committee by the City Council last evening. The Safety Council plans to organize a permanent safety council in Canada.

Annual Smoker—The 7th Battalion Association will hold its annual smoker and election of officers at 8 o'clock tonight at the clubrooms of Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion. It is being held to commemorate the first bombing raid of the Western Front, organized and executed by the 7th Battalion. All members are requested to attend.

Charged With Robbery—Ram Singh, an East Indian, charged with being associated in the attack upon Barhan Singh, a fellow countryman, was charged with robbery on the same date.

Visit Plant—Twenty-five members of the modern merchandising class at Evening Technical School, accompanied by their instructor, John Kellogg, visited the W. A. Jamieson Coffee Company, Ltd. plant last evening. After being shown the various operations in the manufacture of coffee they were treated to refreshments by W. A. Jamieson.

Battalion Reunion—The annual reunion of the 103rd Battalion, "Fighting Wolves" will be held Saturday evening, 7 o'clock, in Spencer's dining-room. Those who plan to attend are asked to secure their tickets early in the week. As usual an excellent programme has been arranged. The Grand Fire entrance will be open for admittance to the dining-room.

Pass Resolution—When proposed by Alderman S. H. Okell and seconded by Alderman T. W. Hawkins, the following resolution was passed by the City Council last evening: That all funds authorized by this

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Pacific Dog Cafe—Art Haines, 685; Henry Haines, 473; Carla Haines, 146; Art Porter, 710; Jim Haines, 620. Total, 2,324.

The Daily Colonist—W. Dunn, 419; A. B. B. 281; E. B. B. 281; E. B. B. 281. Total, 1,000.

MONTREAL, Nov. 16 (AP).—The Federal Government hopes to be able to reduce taxes on the mining industries next year and it is determined there will be no increase in taxation from T. A. Cregar, Minister of Mines, said here today.

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Barnes, 400; H. B. B. 400; H. B. B. 400. Total, 1,200.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest



Finance Campaign Of Y.W.C.A. Opens Most Auspiciously

Miss Margaret Clay and Fred M. McGregor Address Canvassers and Other Workers at Luncheon Meeting, Giving Valuable Suggestions

WITH some valuable fundamental "pointers" on salesmanship and a sheaf of "possible answers to possible criticisms," sixty canvassers in the Young Women's Christian Association finance campaign went forth from a campaign luncheon, held at the Y.W.C.A. yesterday, equipped for the seven days' canvass of the city to collect the \$5,000 needed to carry on the valuable services supported by the local organization.

The luncheon proved a splendid rallying point, with Mrs. H. M. Cassidy, president of the board of directors; Mrs. Roy Angus, chairman of the campaign committee; Miss Margaret Clay, Mr. Fred M. McGregor and Miss Edna Teagle, who were the three guest-speakers, and most of the patrons, advisory board, canvassers and a few specially invited friends present.

Miss Clay, the first speaker, anticipated some of the possible criticisms that the canvassers might meet. It could be shown that the Y.W.C.A. met the requirements of a satisfactory institution by being 75 per cent self-supporting; that its reserve fund was not for carrying current expenses, but was just the average business-like thing to have to meet depreciation; that the Y.W.C.A. provided a place where women on salaries too low to support themselves in comfort could find some more attractive place in which to meet their friends; and finally, that it offered girls and young women contracts and activities that helped to develop self-expression, unselfishness, community spirit, physical fitness, higher esprit-de-corps, tolerant under-

standing of others, and all-round health and character building.

SALESMANSHIP
The first principle of good salesmanship was to be enthusiastic, Mr. Fred M. McGregor told the canvassers in his excellent talk on approaching might-be subscribers. If each and all of them went forth to their task confident of the need of what they sought, and soundly equipped with facts, they would find a much more ready response. It meant a great deal to the girls of the community to have a place like the Y.W.C.A., particularly girls who were in need of shelter and friends. It was bad enough for a young man to be without money, but still worse for a girl. The Y.W.C.A. was one place to which all such could always turn.

Something of her own experiences in connection with the Girls' Council were cited by Miss Teagle, who said that many girls of the city were developing a keener appreciation of the better things of life—culture, music and art—through this branch of Y.W.C.A. work. Through the Girls' Council she had met numbers of lonely girls, who through that group had been given a welcome and friendship.

Before the gathering dispersed, standing of others, and all-round health and character building.

Is Head of Local Y.W.C.A.



MRS. H. M. CASSIDY
President of the Young Women's Christian Association, Which Yesterday Launched Its Annual Finance Campaign With a Luncheon, at Which All Workers Met.

Galli Curci Returns to Grand Opera

CHICAGO, Nov. 16 (AP)—Mme. Amelia Galli-Curci tested her "new voice" today in the privacy of her hotel suite. With her comeback "debut" in opera, as Mme. Galli-Curci, scheduled by the Chicago City Opera Company for November 24, the world-renowned soprano pronounced herself "nervous, but confident."

Sun-tanned, fifteen pounds heavier (now 120) after a year in California since a goutte operation here in August, 1935, she said in an interview: "My voice is not simply improved; it is a new voice. I have richness, color I never had before. I am going to sing a whole new repertoire, starting with 'La Bohème'."

Women Take Risks Flying In Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Nov. 16 (AP)—Seven women pilots were jubilant today after successfully completing eleven hours of continuous flight at Sea Island airport here Sunday.

Despite a low ceiling and heavy ground haze, the pilots flew in relays from dawn to dusk, never a moment elapsing without at least one machine in the air.

The group, celebrating the formation of the first women's flying club in Canada, performed their stunts under conditions that had made pilots at the airport shaking their heads in disapproval and freely predicting disaster for the adventurous girls.

A few minutes before official sunrise, 6:59 a.m., Tessa Trassolini took off. Relays of ten and fifteen minutes were the longest the pilots were able to fly under the strain of blind navigation. They kept on in spite of the advice of male pilots who advised them not to take the risk.

"Of course we are happy to have done it," Miss Trassolini said, as she landed in Miss Margaret Payne at 8 p.m. sundown. "We wanted to show that women could fly as well as men."

The dawn-to-dusk flight is the first to be accomplished here, and the first to be made by women in Canada. The club intends to undertake some similar stunt each month in future.

Weddings

ANDERSON—MILLARD
The wedding took place quietly on Saturday night, in the vestry of St. John's Church, when Rev. A. E. Balfour Bruce performed the marriage service for Pearl, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Millard, Pandora Avenue, and Mr. W. Douglas Anderson, eldest son of Mr. A. H. Anderson, Fredrick, N.B., and of the late Mrs. Anderson.

The bride was given away by her mother, and wore a becoming frock of rust crepe with brown accessories, and a corsage bouquet of Tulleman roses and gardenias. Miss Ivy Millard, in a frock of coronation blue, with black accessories and a erpe, with black accessories and a

HARRISON—FINNERTY
The marriage of Miss Margaret Finnerty, Vancouver, to Mr. F. H. Harrison, of this city, was quietly solemnized in Seattle on November 14.

MELVILLE—PLANTA
A quiet wedding took place at noon yesterday when Mildred Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery E. Planta, Departure Bay, V.I., was united in marriage to Mr. Charles Melville, only son of Mr. and the late Mr. Thomas Melville, Anstruther, Scotland. The ceremony, at which only immediate relatives were present, was performed by Rev. Canon Hitchcock at Christ Church Cathedral. The bride, given in marriage by her father, was in-attended. After a short trip south, Mr. and Mrs. Melville will reside in Vancouver.

BONFONTE—LACEY
STRAITFORD, Ont., Nov. 16 (AP)—St. Joseph's Church was the scene of a wedding Saturday, when Margaret Lacey, R.N., of Victoria, B.C., was united in marriage to Mr. Robert G. Bonfonti, of Beardmore, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bonfonti, Stratford. Rev. P. S. Mulken performed the ceremony. The bride wore a smart French model of powder blue sheer with white suede gloves and navy accessories. Her flowers were American Beauties. Miss Doris Bonfonti, of Hamilton, the bridesmaid, was in wine crepe with black accessories. Mr. Ivan E. Bonfonti was best man. After a wedding trip to Toronto and other centres, Mr. and Mrs. Bonfonti will reside at Beardmore.

WEST SAANICH
The West Saanich Institute held its monthly meeting at the Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay, Mrs. E. Roshon presiding. Arrangements were made to hold the annual Christmas sale of work and turkey "500" card party at the hall on Saturday, December 5. A bridge party will be held at the hall tomorrow. The young people of the district are holding dancing classes at the hall every Friday night. A wool bee will be held next Friday night at the hall. The members sent the usual donation of bottled fruits and jam to the Queen Alexandra Solatium. After the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served.

SOUTH SAANICH
The South Saanich Institute will hold its monthly meeting at the Temperance Hall, East Saanich

Clubs-Societies

Cheminus Mission Circle

Calvary Baptist Mission Circle, Cheminus, together with other friends, gathered at the bedside of Mrs. James Goldsmith on Friday afternoon, to offer her birthday congratulations. Mrs. Goldsmith, a former ardent worker both in the Baptist Church Mission Circle and the Porter Chapter I.O.D.E., has been confined to her bed for nearly a year, but despite her serious illness was most cheerful, as she welcomed her guests on her seventy-second birthday. Beside many personal gifts, jam, fruit and flowers, flowers were received from Calvary Mission Circle, and a basket of fruit from the Hospital W.A. sunshine fund. During the afternoon tea was served by Mrs. Lyle Goldsmith, and Mrs. C. J. Parise, of Vancouver. A huge birthday cake was also much admired, and served by Mrs. Goldsmith to her guests. Those present, included Mesdames Pedersen, J. R. Robinson, E. M. Cooke, Grandina Read, P. Wylie, Troupe, L. G. Hill, B. Atwood, F. Reede, W. W. Southin, A. Porter, G. Donahoe, Misses Mayne Robinson, Poppy Pulling, Muriel Robinson.

City Temple Bazaar

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the City Temple will hold their annual bazaar tomorrow and Thursday in the social hall. A special programme has been arranged for both days. Rev. J. W. Churchill will open the bazaar at 3 o'clock. Fancywork and novelties that will make suitable gifts for Christmas will be on sale, also home cooking and candy. Tea will be served during the afternoon and evening. The following will contribute to the programme: Mrs. G. G. Hedden, Miss O'Leary, Mrs. E. J. Giff and Mrs. H. Jackson, vocal solos; pianoforte solos, Miss T. Pindley, recitations, Mrs. J. Hedley, recitations, Miss B. Oakley, Miss G. Phillips and Miss Ilce Roskelley; reading, Mrs. Maud Hammond; dancing by the pupils of the Sonia Slavina Russian School of the Dance; and by Miss Mollie Milton's Dancing Academy; sleight-of-hand tricks by A. Swalek, and organ solo by Miss A. Townsend.

Pride of Victoria Lodge

Pride of Victoria No. 55, Orange Juvenile Association, held its regular meeting on Saturday in the Orange Hall. Miss E. Rogers presiding. Two new members were received into the order. The election of officers also took place, with Mrs. W. Ashworth presiding, and worthy mistress of Purple Star, Mrs. Kendall; worthy mistress of Britannia Lodge, Mrs. Burke, and past mistress of Queen of the Island Lodge, Mrs. Laing, acting as scrutineers. Mrs. Baiter, past mistress of Queen of the Island Lodge, and Mrs. Patterson, deputy mistress of Britannia Lodge, acted as directors of ceremonies. The next meeting will be on November 28.

Fellowship Supper

The Women's Union of the First Baptist Church will hold a fellowship supper tomorrow evening in the lower auditorium of the church. In connection with the occasion there will be an address by Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, and a musical programme by Mrs. Bert Noel and Stanley Honeychurch.

St. Martin's Shower

For those who cannot attend the baby shower at St. Martin's-in-the-Ridge, 4th Avenue, tomorrow from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock, arrangements will be made for parcels to be called for or left at a more convenient

place by calling E1448, E9583 or Colquhoun 28M.

Canadian Daughters' League

A social meeting of the Canadian Daughters' League, Assembly No. 5, will be held in the Shrine Hall on Thursday at 8 p.m. An attractive programme has been arranged by Mrs. C. Jasper and a large attendance is expected.

Sooke W.A.

The Sooke Women's Auxiliary to the M.S.C.C. of Holy Trinity Church will hold a sale of work and home cooking in the Community Hall tomorrow at 8 p.m. This will be followed at 9 p.m. with a court-ship party.

Daughters of England

Princess Alexandra Lodge, Daughters of England, will hold its business meeting on Thursday in the S.O.E. Hall at 8 p.m. Drill practice will be held this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock.

Typographical Union

The Women's Auxiliary No. 65, to the Victoria Typographical Union held a successful meeting recently in the S.O.E. Hall. A bride tea will be held on December 1 in aid of the good cheer fund.

Solatium W.A.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Queen Alexandra Solatium will be held on Thursday at 4:15 p.m. in the Solatium office Pemberton Building.

Y.W.C.A. Notes

WORLD FELLOWSHIP

Eighty-five girls met at the Y.W.C.A. on Sunday afternoon for the World Fellowship hour sponsored by the Y Girls' Council. Mrs. W. E. Stevenson, formerly associate-general secretary of the Detroit Y.W.C.A., was the guest speaker. Many were made to realize for the first time the position the Y.W.C.A. had already taken in an international organization in encouraging co-operation between nations. Mrs. Stevenson emphasized the idea that if the world goes to war it will be due to the failure of Governments to much as the failure of individuals in their personal relationships.

"An Adventure in Friendship"

A pageant representing a group of industrial girls, was presented by members of the dramatic club. A spirit of good will toward a foreign girl joining the group was brought out during the play.

Miss Eleanor Swain ably carried the spirit of the service through in her solo, "The Prayer Perfect."

Miss Edna Teagle led the service and tea was served later in the lounge.

At the Hotels

DOMINION

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MARINE, RAIL and AIR

Mayors Appeal to Parties Involved In Maritime Fight

Executives of Eight East and West Coast Cities Request Both Sides to Submit Differences To Arbitration

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 (AP).—Mayors of eight East and West Coast cities telegraphed appeals to all parties involved in the maritime strike late today to submit all their differences to arbitration by boards to be appointed by President Roosevelt.

Signing the statement were Mayors La Guardia, of New York; Shaw, of Los Angeles; Wilson, of Philadelphia; Mansfield, of Boston; Elenstein, of Newark; Ross, of San Francisco; Carson, of Portland; and McCracken, of Oakland.

THE APPEAL

The appeal read: "We, the undersigned, mayors of the Pacific Coast and the Atlantic and Gulf Coast, support cities, feel that the seamen's strike has reached such a point that the public interest is not only concerned but materially and substantially damaged. To continue the present deadlock will result in irreparable loss to the men, the ship owners,

merchant marine and to each of our cities.

"We, therefore, now publicly request all sides concerned in this controversy to submit all their differences to arbitration.

"Upon receipt by us of assurances from all sides to abide by such arbitration, we shall immediately request the President of the United States to appoint such boards of arbitration, one for the Pacific Coast, and one for the Atlantic and Gulf Coast.

"During the period of arbitration, it is highly desirable that operation of ships be resumed without prejudice to either side."

The telegram followed a meeting of the mayors with President Roosevelt.

STOCKS EXHAUSTED

SEATTLE, Nov. 16 (AP).—N. C. Hatfield, president of the Juneau Chamber of Commerce, telegraphed here today that the Alaska capital's perishable vegetable supplies are exhausted, fresh meat stocks will be gone within a few days and there are only about five weeks' supplies of staple groceries as a result of the maritime strike transportation tie-up.

"One butcher shop is closed and two are closing Friday," he said, reporting a committee had surveyed the Juneau situation. "Two more have one week's normal supply, which will be exhausted by Wednesday because the other shops are closing."

"Several stores are without butter or eggs, and the local supply will be exhausted today."

"We guarantee this information to be absolutely reliable."

Australians and New Zealanders May Hire Vessel

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 16 (AP).—Australians and New Zealanders, stranded here by the maritime strike, were invited today to discuss chartering a ship and hiring a foreign crew to take them to their homelands.

Frank Goldberg, New Zealand business man, called a meeting of his compatriots for tomorrow. He said there are nearly 700 unable to complete their journey.



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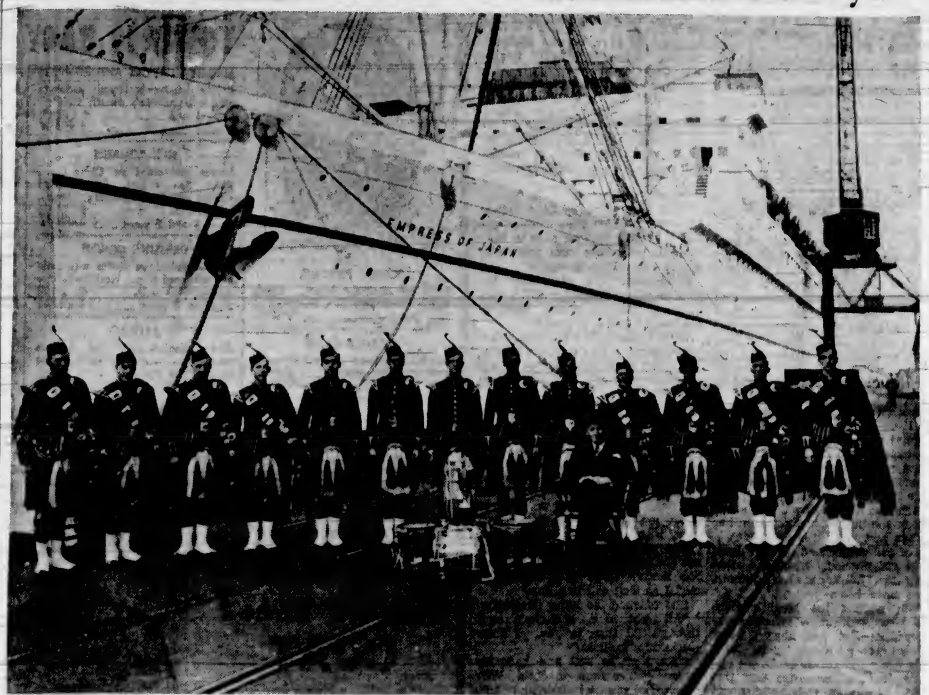
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MAKING CALL AT HONOLULU

Empress of Asia Will Leave Victoria One Day Ahead Of Schedule

On her next sailing for the Far East, the Canadian Pacific liner *Empress of Asia* will leave Victoria one full day ahead of time. The ship's sailing time is advanced so as to enable her to make a call at Honolulu with a number of Hawaiian passengers who have been stranded in Pacific Coast ports by the maritime strike.

LUMBER SHIPS

One of the lumber ships which have been taking on cargo at Ogden Point Piers got away last evening. The *Rokos* left for Crofton. The freighter *Ravenna* is still loading at the assembly plant and will be ready to shift some time today.

REPAIRS COMPLETED

Repairs to the British freighter *Temple Moat*, which was in collision with the American freighter *Race Rocks*, were completed yesterday, and she was to leave Esquimalt last evening.

Repairs were carried out by Yarrows, Ltd. The *Temple Moat* is to proceed to Vancouver by way of Nanaimo, Ladysmith and Crofton.

DRECHTIDYK IN

In from Rotterdam and London, the Holland America *Ms. Drechtidyk* arrived alongside Rihet Piers Sunday morning, and after discharging local cargo continued to Mainland ports early in the afternoon.

SERVICE IS RESUMED

VANCOUVER, Nov. 16 (AP).—Normal service on the Jasper-Prince Rupert line of the Canadian National Railway has resumed today, according to B. T. Chappell, general superintendent in British Columbia district. Passenger trains are running both East and West, he said. Service was disrupted as a result of severe floods in tributary streams to the Skeena River.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ERTREYAN.—Rain, southeast, strong. 29.5 rough.
LENNARD ISLAND.—Fog, south, strong. 29.5 rough.
PACIFIC.—Rain, southeast, strong. 29.5 rough.
CARMANAH.—Rain, southeast, fresh. 29.5 rough.
CAPE BEALE.—Rain, southeast, strong. 29.7 rough.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE
DRECHTIDYK—Rotterdam and London: November 13.
EMPEROR OF ASIA—Philippines, China, Japan: November 16.
EMPEROR OF ASIA—United Kingdom: November 17.
EMPEROR OF ASIA—Japan: November 21.
EMPEROR OF ASIA—Philippines: November 22.
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EMPEROR OF ASIA—Australia: November 24.
EMPEROR OF ASIA—New Zealand: November 25.
EMPEROR OF ASIA—United Kingdom: November 26.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN
EMPEROR OF ASIA—Mails close 4 p.m. November 18. Due at Yokohama, November 20. Shanghai, December 1. Hongkong, December 3. Canton, December 5. Peking, December 7. Tientsin, December 9. Hankow, December 11. Harbin, December 13. Vladivostok, December 15. Dairen, December 17. Port Arthur, December 19. Seoul, December 21. Tokyo, December 23. Osaka, December 25. Kobe, December 27. Yokohama, December 29. Japan, December 31.

Gulf Island Mail

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Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.
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VICTORIA-VANCOUVER.—*Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 3:30 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Vancouver for Victoria at 12:15 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 3:30 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Vancouver for Victoria at 12:15 p.m.

Queen Charlotte Mails

VIA VANCOUVER.—Mails close 1 p.m. October 18, 20, November 12 and 14. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Vancouver for Victoria at 12:15 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 3:30 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Vancouver for Victoria at 12:15 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 3:30 p.m.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

Mails close 1 p.m. November 27 and December 4. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Vancouver for Victoria at 12:15 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 3:30 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Vancouver for Victoria at 12:15 p.m. *Ss. Princess Charlotte* will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 3:30 p.m.

Talk on Hydrography

H. D. Pariseau, chief hydrographer on the Pacific Coast for the Canadian Hydrographic Survey will tell the Round-Table Club all about Hydrography, at 8 p.m. at the Victoria Hotel. Admission free. Refreshments at 7:30 p.m.

EMPRESS IN FROM ORIENT

Asia Arrives Here With First Consignment of Japanese Oranges

Bringing in the first consignment of Japanese oranges to reach this side of the Pacific for the Fall trade, the Canadian Pacific liner *Ss. Empress of Asia*, Captain A. V. R. Lovegrove, R.N.R., commander, tied up alongside Rihet Piers at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Officers of the ship stated the crossing of the Pacific had been anything but pleasant. The liner encountered a beam wind shortly after clearing Yokohama and she rolled considerably as the breeze continued to hold the same direction until the *Asia* was within two days' steaming of Victoria, when she ran into fog. About ninety tons of general cargo were landed here before the ship continued to Vancouver at 4 p.m.

The *Asia's* passenger list was light, the more important travelers aboard including Commander and Mrs. R. M. Hunt, the former being superintendent of police of Canton, proceeding to England; Perry Burgess, of the Leonard Wood Memorial Foundation, returning from a round trip to the Orient; R. C. Allen, C. A. Carline and R. H. Viscount Kelburn, a trio of young Royal Navy officers returning home after serving on ships in Far Eastern waters; and Mrs. F. Andrews, connected with Butterfield and Swire, Shanghai, bound for England.

ALSO ABOARD

Also aboard the *Asia* were Miss M. Blake, returning home to Akron, following a visit to Yokohama; Mrs. R. Boyd and son, proceeding to Akron from Yokohama; A. Birnbaum, buyer for Cassidy's Limited, wholesale china merchants, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Dithmer and family, the former being production manager of General Motors, Japan, proceeding to New York; A. Hoyer, vice-president of the Manila Gas Corporation, Manila, going to New York on business; and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jones, the former being manager at Shanghai for the Asiatic Petroleum Company. Others traveling on the ship included W. L. Ogden, connected with the Colonial Petroleum Company, Batavia, sailing the United States on leave, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. R. N. Ogden; Mrs. E. R. Sandstrom and son, from Bombay, where Mr. Sandstrom is connected with the National Bank of New York; Mrs. E. Torrance, returning to her home in New York following an extensive tour of the Orient; and Tami Shih Chih, official of the Chinese Government Railways, Nanking.

CHAIRMAN OF BOARD NAMED

Mr. Justice A. K. MacLean Is Appointed to Railway Wage Dispute Probe

OTTAWA, Nov. 16 (AP).—Mr. Justice A. K. MacLean, president of the Exchequer Court of Canada, has been appointed chairman of the Board of Conciliation and Investigation on Railway Wages, the Department of Labor announced today.

The board's duty is to inquire into the dispute between the Canadian railways and their employees in seven trade unions. The unions are seeking discontinuance of the present 10 per cent deduction from basic rates of pay and the railways are opposed to the discontinuance.

Mr. Justice MacLean was appointed by Hon. Norman Rogers, Minister of Labor, following the failure of the other two members of the board chosen by the two parties to the dispute to agree on a third member and chairman. The other members are W. Sanford Evans, Winnipeg, nominated by the railways, and Fred Baergrift, Oakville, Ont., nominated by the employees.

Approximately 100,000 employees are seeking the restoration of the basic wage. The railways involved include the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and their subsidiaries such as the Dominion Atlantic Railway, the Quebec Central Railway, the Northern Alberta Railway and the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway.

Don't throw away your old bathing costume. It will come in useful as a bookmark.

COMMUNITY IS PUZZLED

Mysterious Fire Leaves No Trace of Gasoline Scow's Crew

KINGSVILLE, Ont., Nov. 16 (AP).—A mysterious fire that sent the gasoline scow *Don Juan* to the bottom of Lake Erie and left no trace of the crew had this community south-east of Windsor puzzled today. Nearly ten miles out in the windswept lake last night windmills saw a riding light blink, what appeared to be a torch and then a sheet of flame. They thought a freighter was afloat.

Tugs put out to the rescue in the face of a bitter wind that froze spray to the decks as heavy waves battered the little craft. They arrived to find a charred hulk slip to the bottom.

Captain Jack Battram was missing, but investigators failed to determine what crew accompanied him.

The scow, launched a few weeks ago, docked yesterday, but later Battram said he was going back to the docks. He has not been seen since.

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Vesalia	165
Benbow	166

PINE VALLEY UNFAIR
BRITISH WALKER CUP RACE

The sweeping victory of American Walker Cup team in the British team supports my contention that the Pine Valley was unfair to the victors.

The American team has long been as superior to the British aggregation before the scene of the race was announced. When the fruit New Jersey course was named as the ground for these international amateur matches, the result was rather obvious.

Most of the visiting players trained over courses that are comparatively flat, with big greens few traps. The Jersey course varied for its small amount of way and green. You can get pretty good idea of an average Pine Valley hole by picturing a flag in sand dunes or a hole filled bunker and sand traps as thin vegetables in an old-fashioned red-top deck.

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London Stocks

LONDON, Nov. 16 (AP)—Closing: Brazilian \$18 1-2; British American Tobacco 133 1 11-2; Canadian Mining 127 1-4; Boers £15 5-8; Crown Mines £16; East Geduld £10 5-8; Mining Trust Ltd. 58 1-2; Rand Mines D 3-8; Rhodesian Anglo American 31a; Rhokana Corp £11 5-8; Rio Tinto £22 1-4; Springs 43s 9d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols £85 7-16; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loans £106 5-8; British Funding 4s 1960-90 £117 7-8.

CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY, Nov. 16 (AP)—Cattle steady; good steers 4 00-4 25; heifers 2 75-3 00; good light calves 3 25.

Hogx five cents strainer; selecta 7 25; bacona 6 75; butchers 6 25.

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, Nov. 16 (AP)—Bar gold in London: unchanged at \$34 74 an ounce in Canadian funds; 142 1-2 in British funds. The fixed \$35-Washington price amounted to \$34 96 in Canadian funds.

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Winnipeg Elec. 4 1/2, 1965	98.50	100.50	

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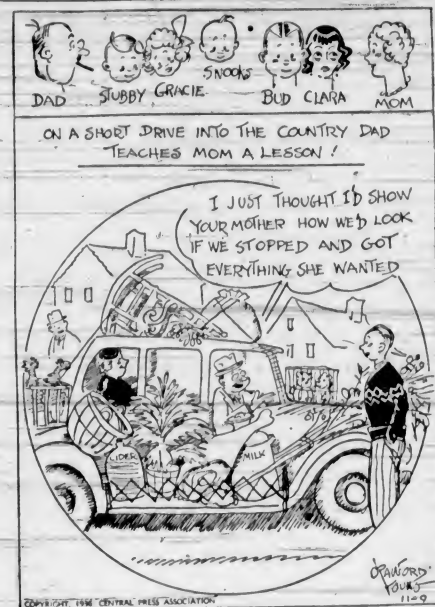
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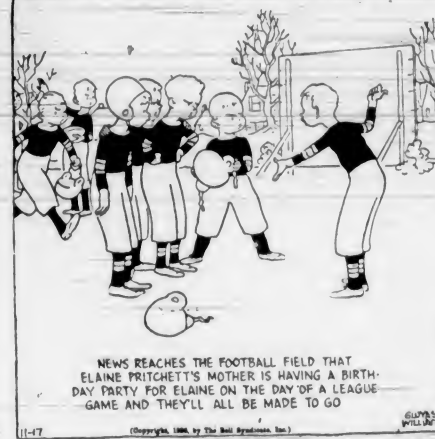
A cartoon illustration depicting a scene of chaos. A man, presumably the professor, is running through a storm, holding a sign that reads "COME WITH THE WIND". He is wearing a suit and a hat. A woman in a polka-dot dress is running alongside him, shouting "THE ANSWER WHERE HIS THAT IS!" from a speech bubble. The background is filled with lightning, rain, and debris, suggesting a severe weather event. The scene is framed by a simple border.



THE TUTTS ... By Crawford Young



THE NEIGHBORHOOD LEAGUE By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



The seedy-looking man called on his doctor.

The doctor cast a critical eye over his patient.

"So you don't feel any better after taking the medicine I prescribed," he said.

"By the way, have you followed anyone else's advice since you were taken sick?"

The patient nodded guiltily.

"Yes," he replied, "a young medical student. A friend of mine."

The doctor thrust out his jaw aggressively.

"And what foolish advice did he give you?" he asked.

"Well, he told me to come and see you," the patient replied.

"From what your master tells me, Smith minor," said the headmaster, "you seemed to have behaved like a big bully, with a complete disregard for life and property. Give me that pea-shooter."

Jane Dixon Says:

A READER CRITICIZES "BITTER CYNIC," THE MAN WHO SAYS HE WAS FORCED INTO MATRIMONY—ANOTHER MAN COMPLAINS ABOUT A GIRL WHO WON'T TAKE "NO" FOR AN ANSWER.

This column welcomes letters from indignant men. In fact, it welcomes letters from men whether indignant or not, for discussion and a difference of opinion solve problems, and men have a way of banging away at a situation without bothering to pull punches.

Jane Dixon: The letter of "Bitter Cynic" forces me to write and to ask you and other readers, like myself, an opinion on the sort of person who calls himself a man, and who has the galvanized conceit to say:

"The woman pursued me before she finally got me." "She proposed to me." "She could not live without me." "Like a sap, I believed her."

And so, out of the goodness of his heart, this person, who mistakes himself for a man, marries the woman. The spineless creature consents to marry the mercenary huntress and save her life. And he has the effrontery to expect that the two of them will live happily forever after.

I know there are such women in the world, but when it comes right down to taking that final step into double harness, any man worth his salt ought to have enough strength to escape from a gold-digger. I always have admired your tact and knowledge of human nature, Miss Dixon. Do you really believe gold-digging women are so greedy that they'll marry a man for a few thousand dollars, or that they can melt real men of moral courage to the extent of driving their victims into matrimony?—E.T.

EASY TO SHIFT THE BLAME

Answer: Sums of money are large or small in comparison with the state of one's purse. A few thousand dollars is quite a fat nest-egg in an empty wallet.

I doubt that any considerable number of men are flabby enough to become life-savers via the marriage altar. It is only after the tide has come in and they find the whole business is a washout, that they begin looking backward and clutching at excuses for their consummate folly. It's much more comfortable to blame someone else for your mistake than to charge it to yourself. Many a man who never had the faintest suspicion he was being taken for a ride to the altar, until the boat began to rock, will cry to high heaven that the designing woman caught him with a harpoon, a seine and a whale hook.

Obviously "Bitter Cynic" has an incredible lot of optimism mixed in with his cynicism, else he never would have expected to bring a reluctant bridegroom and a gold-digging bride into a tower of domestic bliss.

SHE WON'T TAKE "NO" FOR AN ANSWER

Miss Dixon: What can a fellow do when a girl won't take "no" for an answer?

I've been going with this one for several months. I admired her a lot in the beginning and told her so, but I made it very plain that I had no intention of marrying until I had established myself in business. She seemed not only willing, but eager to accept me merely as a good friend.

Gradually she began introducing the subject of marriage, talking it up to the skies and taking me to the homes of her young married friends to show me how happy they are. Now, it's gotten so marriage is about the only thing on her mind. Her mother has thrown out some pretty strong hints, too. She even insinuates that I've done something dishonorable and let her daughter down, when I never proposed to the girl and made my intentions clear from the start. I dislike hurting a friend's feelings, but I refuse to be pushed into marriage. What's the answer?—Young Man in a Jam.

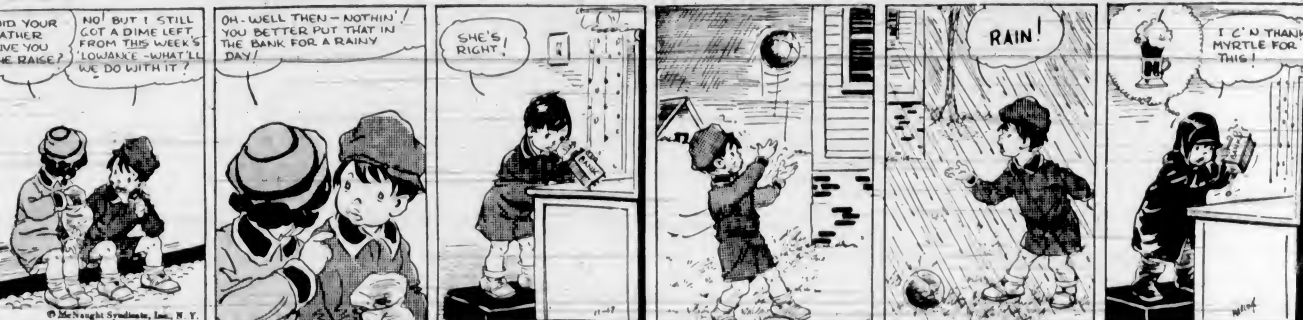
The next time the subject of marriage is introduced, change the conversation quietly, but firmly into another channel. If the girl and her mother insist on heckling you about it, stop calling. Not being interested in matrimony yourself at the time, it is unfair to engage the interest and the time of a young woman intent on achieving it.

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APPLE MARY



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NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY



POP



TILLIE THE TOILER



DIXIE DUGAN



GROUP TO SEEK LIGHT PARLEY

Special City Council Committee Discusses B.C. Electric Franchise

At a meeting of the City Council electric franchise committee yesterday afternoon, it was decided to ask B.C. Electric Railway Company, Limited, if representatives were ready to hold a preliminary discussion on the franchise, which will expire in November, 1938. Members of the committee are Aldermen Archie Wills, chairman; T. W. Hawkins, Walter Loney and Andrew McGavin.

During a discussion on the noise produced by street cars on Government Street in the business section, Alderman Wills told how Brooklyn, Los Angeles, San Diego, Denver and New York street cars were being fitted with combination rubber and steel wheels, which completely abated any noise nuisance. He gave a short description of trackless trolleys which used an overhead power wire and were capable of proceeding beyond termini by means of storage batteries.

Alderman Wills pointed out residents of Winnipeg were charged only 2½ cents per kilowatt hour for current used in lighting, 9 cents for cooking and heating and 4 cents for industrial purposes. The committee decided to secure full information on Diesel and steam-operated electric lighting plants in use in Canada and the United States, and to continue investigation of transportation systems in other cities.

A traveler was boasting in a public bar of the wonderful things he had seen all over the world. He declared there was nothing he had not seen. A quiet little man got up from a corner of the bar and said politely:

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson
World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

A SIMPLE INSURANCE PLAY

The hand analyzed today was taken from a Hungarian newspaper's account of a tournament held recently in Budapest. Unfortunately, the only comment concerning the hand was that it had been the turning point of the match between the finalists in the team-of-four contest. One of the team stood at two no trump and made the contract, for a team score of 170 points. The other team reached three no trump "and were, of course, defeated one trick." The 270-point swing was more than the final net difference in scores.

A study of the hand made me intensely curious about the newspaper's use of the phrase "of course" in its reference to the defeat of three no trump. After a not too protracted analysis I felt certain that the phrase had been hastily and unsoundly employed. This was the hand.

North dealer.

Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH

♠ J 7 5

♥ 9 6

♦ A K 10 8 7 2

♣ A 8

WEST

♠ K 8 6

♥ Q 7 3 2

♦ 8

♣ K J 9 5 3

EAST

♠ Q 10 9

♥ K J 5

♦ J 6 5 4 3

♣ 10 6

SOUTH

♠ A 4 3 2

♥ A 10 8 4

♦ Q

♣ Q 7 4 2

The bidding:

North East South West

1 ♠ Pass 2 NT Pass

3 NT (final bid)

South's first response of one heart was the best choice at his command. It left open to his partner the opportunity to bid a possible spade suit at the one level. When North merely rebid his diamonds, South properly off.

Bill—Did you hear about Pat?

Tar—No, what?

Bill—Well, someone told Pat that he could get his pants pressed by allowing a steam roller to run over them.

Tar—Well, what of it?

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Crowds See Quintuplets



An excellent idea of the crowds which have worn a path to the door of the Dionne quintuplets at Callendar, Ont., is suggested by the above view of some of the tourists jammed the parking lot adjacent to the nursery, shown below.

"Excuse me, sir, but have you ever had D.T.?"

"No, of course not," snapped the traveler.

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VETERANS HERE TELL PROBLEMS

Unemployment Acute Among Ex-Service Men — Commission Seeks Remedies

Difficulties confronting ex-service men in securing a place in the labor market and suggestions to alleviate this condition were related yesterday to the Veterans Assistance Commission, from Ottawa, at the City Hall. Briefs from local ex-service organizations and private pleas were submitted to the commission.

The commission, which consists of Col. J. B. Ratnay, C.M.G., D.S.O., chairman, Ottawa; Robert Macnicol, Vancouver, secretary of the Provincial Command, Canadian Legion; and Lieut.-Col. H. L. de Martigny, Montreal, left last night for Vancouver, where it will confer with the Board of Trade today, later moving to Edmonton for further sessions. H. M. Sinclair is secretary to the commission.

TO COLLECT DATA
The commission was set up to gather data on problems of unemployment confronting all ex-service men, particularly those partially covered by the Department of Pensions and National Health, and the prematurely aged. Briefs were presented from the district council of the Canadian Legion, the Canadian Pensioners' Association, the Army and Navy Veterans, the Amputees' Association, the Tubercular Veterans' Association, the Non-Pensioners' Association, and Dr. H. M. Cassidy, director of social welfare for British Columbia and the Galopoli Association.

Amendments to the War Veterans' Allowance Act, as suggested by the Dominion convention of the Canadian Legion, should be immediately enacted, W. G. Stone told the commission in presenting the Legion brief. Claims that industry was generally reluctant to employ men over forty-five years of age were made by the brief. Ex-servicemen, he continued, were debarrd from becoming members of the municipal school boards where pension schemes are used, by reason of their age. This fact was set out in the majority of briefs submitted.

EXTEND PLAN
Extension of the Department of Pensions and National Health to include reopening of workshops for sheltered employment on a large scale was suggested in several of the briefs.

Other briefs suggested that small relief allowances and that allowances be made from relief funds for clothing, fuel, etc. A more adequate pension for tubercular veterans was suggested. All ex-servicemen should be given suitable and sufficient aid from the Federal Government directly, was another suggestion advanced.

HEAR DIRECTOR

Dr. Cassidy declared his brief presented his own views, but represented essentially the feeling of the Provincial Government. Some agreement on residence rules should be reached by the Federal and Provincial Governments. Any relief given should be charged to the Province in which the recipient resides, he said, and transients should be referred to their respective Provinces. An arbitrator should be appointed by the Dominion Government and health service agreements should be reached.

Another brief urged the setting up of camps for men between fifty and fifty-five years of age, each to be given fifty cents per day. After reaching sixty years, it was said, the men should be cared for in a soldiers' home.

Many private cases were aired before the commission, setting forth the difficulties confronting ex-servicemen and women in securing adequate aid during the present years.

List Donors to Oak Bay Welfare Group's Shower

Following is a list of donors to the Oak Bay Friendly Help Welfare Association shower held recently:

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We are showing these popular lacquer fabrics in self shades.

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And shadow spot effects.

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Tree Bark Lacquer Satin

One of the season's newest effects in high-grade silks. Suitable for tunics and dresses; 36 inches wide.

A yard

\$2.59

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98c

French Cut Velvets

In black. Lovely designs on a splendid quality crepe ground. Perfect draping material and uncrushable; 36 inches wide.

A yard

\$3.50

Transparent Velvets

These are shown in this season's new shades. Rich textures that are wonderful values at a yard

\$1.69 \$1.98 \$2.98

The New Silk Tweeds Are Lovely

Checked Stewart Crepe, neat dice designs in a range of shades; 38 inches wide.

A yard

\$1.25

Novelty Broken Check Effects, 54 inches wide.

A yard

\$1.98

And a range of shades showing fleck effect in contrasting colors; 38-inch. A yard

\$1.59

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WITH SHARKSKIN TOECAPS

Besides adding style to these shoes—the sharkskin is a positive protection against scuffed toes. For boys and girls. Brown or black calf Oxfords.

Sizes 8 to 12 Widths B, C, D and E. Pair

\$2.95

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The New O-Cedar "Zephyr" Duster

As light as air. Regular 75c—Combined with a 50c Bottle of Genuine O-Cedar Polish, 89c

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What Today Means

"SCORPIO"

If November 17 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:25 to 11:25 a.m., from 2:25 to 4:25 p.m. and from 8:25 to 10:25 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:25 to 9:25 a.m. from 4:25 to 6:25 p.m. and from 10:25 p.m. until midnight.

Anything that might seem to be a great disappointment this day is liable on the day following to prove a blessing in disguise. Be deliberate in your thinking and movements. Haste is apt to be a hindrance, rather than an aid in both business and social affairs. It will pay to be sympathetic this day, so do not do anything that might create the impression that you are cold and indifferent. Loyalty is likely to reap a rich reward. Therefore do not be faithless. You need a mate because the right person can have a great influence on your future. There may be a message on its way to you that will help you solve an important problem. Keep your temper well in hand this day for if it flares up it might involve you in trouble. Married and engaged couples must refrain from making

any unreasonable request if they wish to be harmonious.

If a woman and November 17 is your birthday, you may need someone to direct you. The right sort of a husband can advance your interests, and perhaps save you from making some serious mistakes. In financial matters you are liable to be very lucky. Never let the spirit of thrift make you stingy for parsimoniousness can make you very unpopular. Apparently you are going to be in a position to make much money. As a secretary, librarian, sculptor artist, writer or saleswoman, you ought to be very successful. Marriage is likely to solve most of your problems, and bring into your life a great amount of happiness.

The child born on November 17 generally, during its formative years, gives its parents very little to worry about. Smart, witty, and agreeable

this youngster should be very popular.

If a man and November 17 is your natal day, if you will "blot out vain pomp, check impulse, quench appetite, keep reason under its own control, your advancement is likely to be rapid." As a scientist, naturalist, author, educator, inventor, actor or salesman you may make an enviable record, as well as